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For: SAMPLE TARGET HAVING SAMPLE SUPPORT
SURFACE WHOSE FACE IS TREATED, PRODUCTION
METHOD THEREOF, AND MASS SPECTROMETER
USING THE SAMPLE TARGET

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Enclosed is a copy of the Filing Receipt for the above-identified application which incorrectly states the Inventor's Name as "Yoshinao OKUNO, Mino-shi, JAPAN". It should read **Yoshinao WADA, Osaka, JAPAN**. Also, the other inventors are not listed on the Filing Receipt. Please add the following names:

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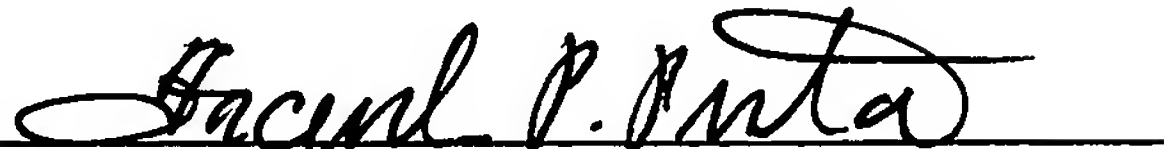
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Please note your records accordingly. Correction of same is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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